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- an adhesive layer for securing the support device to the tissues;
- a support layer; and
- a surface layer, the surface layer configured to include:
  - a [first] center transverse dimension having a [first] center transverse axis therethrough;
  - a first and second lateral transverse dimension on opposing sides of said center transverse dimension;
  - a center longitudinal dimension having a center longitudinal axis therethrough which is orthogonal to said [first] center transverse axis and bisects said [first] center transverse [axis] dimension;
  - a first and second lateral longitudinal dimension on opposing sides of said center longitudinal dimension,  
said center transverse dimension greater than said first and second lateral transverse dimension;
  - said center longitudinal dimension greater than said first and second lateral longitudinal dimensions;

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said surface layer on opposing sides of (said first transverse axis) being mirror images of one another.

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10. (Once Amended) A support device sized and configured for supporting tissues overlying a first and second nasal passage of [an animal] a horse, the support device comprising:

- a support layer; and
- a surface layer, the surface layer configured to include:
  - a first axis which bisects said surface layer along a first dimension;
  - a second axis which bisects said surface layer along a second dimension;
  - said surface layer being bilaterally symmetrical across both of said first and second axes.

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17. (Once Amended) A support device for supporting tissues [over] overlying a first and second nasal passage, said device comprising:

- a first side piece for applying over said first nasal passage;
- a second side piece for applying over said second nasal passage; and